Editors,

The Northshore School District is excited to share the latest updates on the construction of Ruby Bridges Elementary and the Skyview/Canyon Creek expansion project.

Photos are attached for your use.

Please let us know if we can be of further assistance.

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Northshore's construction projects continue on pace in December at Skyview & Canyon Creek's Expansion and Ruby Bridges Elementary

Bothell, Wash. – Ruby Bridges Elementary, formerly Elementary #21, was officially <u>named on</u> <u>Dec. 9</u> by the Northshore School Board. The project continues to progress both inside and out.

In December the rockery retaining wall was installed in the east parking lot and site prep work began for the accessible playground area. Additionally, the asphalt-treated base was placed in the bus entryway, as well as the staff parking area.

Interior finish work is ongoing within the building. Casework, cabinets, ceiling grids, lighting, doors and hardware are being installed throughout various sections of the school.

Power and lights were connected at the Large On-site Sewage System (LOSS) building in December. Operation of the septic equipment motors and generators will be tested in the coming months.

In the new year, landscape boulders and asphalt will be placed for the playground, and kitchen equipment will be connected to power.

Progress also continues at the Skyview and Canyon Creek expansion project. In December, furniture was installed in the flexible use main building and inspections are expected to be complete in January. Landscaping for the site is ongoing.

During winter break, flooring will be laid in Skyview's health classrooms, as well as in Canyon Creek's gym. Additionally, the section of the administrative area at Skyview that was formerly a restroom is expected to be fully converted to offices with carpet and other finishes, and complete in January.

These projects were made possible by the generous support of Northshore voters, who approved the 2018 bond.

Continue to follow the progress by visiting our construction page.

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